



Y9 French, Module 3 (HT2) À l'horizon

Revision from Year 8

Week 1

1. Modal verbs are always followed by an infinitive
2. Pouvoir = to be able (can)
3. Vouloir = to want
4. Devoir = to have to (must)
5. Je peux = I can
6. Je veux = I want
7. Je dois = I must
8. Je dois étudier = I must study

Week 2

1. In French all nouns are masculine or feminine.
2. French nouns nearly always have the indefinite or definite article (un/une/le/la) in front of them.
3. Jobs do not.
Eg Il est directeur = He is a manager

Elle est médecin = She is a doctor

Week 3

Modal verbs are ALWAYS followed by the infinitive

Examples

1. Tu **peux venir**? = Can you come? (Are you able to come?)
2. Elle **doit arriver** à l'heure. = She **must arrive** on time. (She **has to arrive** on time.)
3. Il **veut être** cascadeur. = He **wants to be** a stuntman.

Week 4

1. The imperfect tense is used to talk about what we USED TO DO:-

Les Verbes: L'imparfait

1. Remove «ons» ending from present nous form
2. Add endings (the same for all verbs)

Par Exemple:

Pronouns	ALL	parlons	finissons	être
je	~ais	parlais	finissais	étais
tu	~ais	parlais	finissais	étais
il/elle	~ait	parlait	finissait	était
nous	~ions	parlions	finissions	étions
vous	~iez	parliez	finissiez	étiez
ils/elles	~aient	parlaient	finissaient	étaient

Week 5

SIMPLE FUTURE TENSE IRREGULAR VERBS

For irregular verbs you still use the **endings** you have already learned but you have to put it on a **stem NOT the infinitive**.

GRAMMAR

Definitions:

MODAL VERBS:

These verbs are nearly always followed by an **infinitive**. An exception is **vouloir** as you can follow this with a noun.

SIMPLE FUTURE TENSE

This tense describes what **will happen** and is formed by adding the correct **ending** onto the **infinitive**.

IRREGULAR VERBS

These verbs **do not follow the rules**. In the case of the **simple future tense** you need to add the **ending onto a stem**.

2-4- Irregular verbs

- Here is the list of verbs that alter their stem in the future tense. Once it is altered, it stays the same at all persons.

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| • Être | ser + endings |
| • Avoir | aur + endings |
| • Aller | ir + endings |
| • Faire | fer + endings |
| • Pouvoir | pourr + endings |
| • Savoir | saur + endings |
| • Vouloir | voudr + endings |
| • Venir | viendr + endings |

